

NEWS FROM ONE HUNDRED LIVE CORRESPONDENTS

EASTERN CONNECTICUT AND WESTERN RHODE ISLAND.

Who is Going and Coming—Incidents, Accidents, and Building in Three Counties.

New London County

UNCASVILLE

Gift of \$30 in Gold to Rev. and Mrs. F. D. Luddington—May Baskets Popular—Successful Entertainment and Sale.

The reception given Rev. and Mrs. Frank D. Luddington, Thursday evening in the church parlors was largely attended. An entertaining program was given by Miss Ruth Long, Miss Jennie Nelson, Miss Ethel Griffin, Mrs. Richardson, Miss Agnes Hempstead gave vocal and instrumental musical selections and John D. Libby of New London gave several humorous recitations. Miss Ruth Long in an original poem presented Mr. Luddington \$30 in gold. Sandwiches, salad, coffee, cake and ice cream were served. The evening's entertainment was arranged by the Ladies' Aid Society of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chapell have been entertained by Frederick Sherman and son of Monson, Miss Richardson, Mrs. Leroy P. Gracey entertained the Rev. G. E. Davis of Modus, who occupied the pulpit in the Quaker Hill church Sunday.

May Festival. The May festival given by the Good Cheer Sunshine society was largely attended. The church was prettily decorated with apple blossoms, lilacs and dogwood. An entertaining program was given, those taking part being Harry C. Brown, the actor, Miss Ethel Griffin, Arthur Murray, William Leary, Orville J. Walden. After the entertainment was over refreshments were served.

L. E. Jennings, who has been in Washington, D. C., has returned.

Death of Infant Son. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James Everett at Lawrence hospital died Tuesday morning. He was about two weeks old.

Morris Friberg left town Sunday night for New York, where he is employed.

Receives May Basket. Miss Vera Burgess, Miss Lillian Sawyer, Miss Mary Chapman, Miss Amy and Ruth Burgess, Miss Edna and Elsie La Bounty, Miss Gussell Lavendahl, Peter Buchard, Clifford Shields, Henry St. Germaine, Lewis La Bounty, Frank Craig, Fred Lathrop, gave Miss Marian Lynch a surprise party Tuesday evening, hanging her a May basket. The company was invited in and the evening was devoted to games, music and refreshments.

Henry Allen has sold his horse to Hubert Davis and has purchased a new auto truck for his route to Norwich and New London.

Mrs. Charles Kingsley, after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Chester Barnes in Norwich, has returned to her home in Palmerton.

Mrs. Mary Cornet, who has been spending the winter with her daughter Mrs. Leroy P. Gracey, of West View, has returned to her home in this place.

Play and Sale. The drama entitled Above the Clouds, given by the Montville Group in Palmer Memorial hall Friday evening was well attended and the sale of cake, ice cream, and candy was generously patronized. The proceeds amounted to about \$40. Frank T. Maples assisted the local players in carrying out their parts with much ability.

Walter Beaman of Pequot has obtained employment in Jewett City.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cornet of New Haven, spent the week-end as guests of Mrs. Mary Chapman.

The graduating class of the Uncasville school under the chaperonage of the principal Miss Grace Hooper, made its annual trip to Pequot Tuesday.

A large delegation from Pequot Council, Knights of Columbus, is preparing to attend the exemplification of the third degree in response to an invitation from White Cross Council, Norwich.

The senior class of Palmer Memorial school is rehearsing a minstrel entertainment.

James Phillips, who has been ill at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred I. Phillips, has returned to his work in Providence.

The ball game between the Montville Athletics and the Yantic team on the grounds in Pequot was won by Yantic, 11 to 8. A return game will be played at Yantic in June.

OLD MYSTIC

Young-Hall Marriage. Local Ball Team Loses to Stonington—Motor Trip to Moosup.

Rev. Mr. Coburn of Chester occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday. Rev. Joseph B. of Springfield will occupy that pulpit Sunday, May 23rd.

The Methodist church people expect Rev. Mr. Crawford to preach for them on trial.

Miss Mary J. Duncan an evangelist of New London, who has been holding a series of services at Quakerstown held in all-day session Sunday, May 15th.

Young-Hall. Miss Eva Hall of Old Mystic and Robert Young of New Haven, formerly of Old Mystic were married Saturday, May 15th, by a justice of the peace at Stonington borough.

Defeated by Stonington. The Old Mystic Young Men's Association baseball team was defeated in a game Saturday with the Stoningtons, by the score of 3 to 4.

John Hood of the United States ship Vermont, is spending a ten days' furlough with friends at Old Mystic.

Alpheus H. Schenck has returned from New York.

and daughter Helen, Mr. Edmond Lamphere and Paul B. Lamphere were recent guests of Rev. and Mrs. Arthur H. Withee of Moosup, making the trip in Mr. Lamphere's automobile.

Archibald Lambert and guest, John Hood of the United States ship Vermont were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hotchkiss of Montville, making the trip in Mr. Lambert's automobile.

James Lawrence has returned from New York.

Wedding Invitations. Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Mary James Duncan of New London and Harry Willis Crandall of Quakerstown.

Frank Clyde is recovering from scarlet fever.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church serves a variety supper in the church parlors, Wednesday evening. The attendance was good. Price of supper 25 cents.

Faithful Men Mother. Frank Sebastian thinks he has the companion White Rock hen. She was set on 17 eggs and the twenty-first day came off with 16 fine, fluffy White Rock chicks.

Master Ellison Beckwith, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Beckwith, underwent a minor operation at a private hospital in Groton Wednesday.

H. H. Hoxie, Jr., and John Hood of the U. S. S. Vermont have returned to the ship at Norfolk, Va., after ten days' furlough spent here with relatives and friends.

NORTH STONINGTON

Playground to Be Opened Early in July.—R. R. Park Erecting Fine Residence.

Rev. O. D. Fisher exchanged pulpits Sunday morning with Rev. F. A. MacDonald of Westerly.

Judge C. C. Gray improved the last opportunity to visit the legislature of 1915 by accompanying his son, Representative Lyle C. Gray, to Hartford, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther C. Gray, Daniel E. Gray, Mrs. Thomas P. Norman and children, of Jewett City, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lyle C. Gray Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. Burdick and children, of Jewett City, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lyle C. Gray Sunday.

Mr. Henry E. Randall is able to be out after having been confined to her home by illness for several weeks.

Handsome Residence. The residence being built by R. R. Park will be an ornament to the village.

Married Local Woman. Rev. B. A. Greene, D. D., who died in St. Petersburg, Fla., May 12th, the twenty-fourth anniversary of his wedding day, was well known in this village, where he married his wife, who was Miss Nancy W. Maine, the daughter of Ephraim W. Maine.

The Ladies' society of the Third Baptist church was entertained Wednesday by Mrs. Irving R. Maine.

GLASGO

Recent Funerals—Ball Game Followed by Dance—Pupils Hang May Basket to Teacher.

Funeral services for Mrs. Sophia Brown, James Brown's mother, were held at St. Anne's church, Thursday morning, Rev. R. P. Morrissey officiating.

Funeral services for the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gravelin were held Wednesday at 2 a. m., at St. Anne's church.

The pastor of the local church preached an interesting and helpful sermon Sunday morning from Is. 40-30.

Miss Grace Thompson spent the week-end with friends in Gales Ferry, a former charge of Rev. John Thompson.

Miss Hevin spent Sunday at her home in Willimantic.

Dance Follows Ball Game. There was a ball game Saturday afternoon on the home grounds between Glasgow and Sterling. A dance was given in Social hall in the evening.

The Ladies' Aid society is to meet with Mrs. Alexander Shaw next Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Mabel Burdick was recently hung a May basket by her pupils in the Bethel Sunday school.

Frost Wednesday night touched growing plants and early gardens in the lowlands.

her home in Wequetequock after caring for her mother, Mrs. F. A. Eccleston for the past three weeks.

Mrs. L. A. Eccleston has recovered from a serious illness.

Mrs. Noyes Main of Wequetequock was a caller here Monday.

George Wood of White Rock was the guest Wednesday of his brother, Mr. James Wood.

Mrs. Daniel Little was a caller in Norwich on Saturday.

LEBANON

Ball Team to Play at Colchester Today—Special Town Meeting Will Decide State Road Extension.

Miss Augusta Pember has been visiting Mrs. George Briggs.

Mrs. E. O. Hoxie entertained on Sunday Mrs. and Mrs. Nelson J. Lyon of Plainfield and Mrs. and Mrs. C. M. Geer, and Miss Myra Geer.

George H. Hoxie, Jr., has purchased an automobile.

Attended Party. Among those who attended the birthday party for Mrs. Hannah Kingsley of Franklin, last Saturday were Mrs. C. S. Goodwin, Mrs. Charles M. Geer, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Geer, Mr. and Mrs. George Lyman, Mr. C. S. Briggs and daughter, Miss Aelia Briggs and Mrs. L. F. Smith.

Defeated Columbia. Last Saturday the Lebanon Athletic Club baseball team played the Columbia team and won. The score was 10 to 2. Today (Saturday) the L. A. C. goes to Colchester to play.

Vera Hoxie has returned after spending a few days with relatives in Hartford.

Mrs. Anna Perry and daughter, Miss Bertha Perry, of New London, and Little Miss Elizabeth Sweet of Washington, D. C., are visiting at Henry Hewitt's.

Miss Dorothy Leete, a nurse at Brewster's, spent Sunday with Miss Ruby Williams.

Albert C. Hoxie was in Norwich on Monday.

Special Town Meeting. A special town meeting is to be held today (Saturday) to see about extending the state road from the end of the one now being constructed to the Franklin line, at Lebanon station.

Mr. and Mrs. Rush Foster of South Manchester were in town Wednesday calling on relatives.

Miss Ethel Randall of Goshen is working at Mrs. Fred Hoxie's.

Elmer Campbell, a patient at St. Joseph's hospital, Willimantic, is recovering. He is expected home soon.

WON TWO PRIZES.

Miss Alma H. Manning Had Best Essay—Daniel Meach Given Honorable Mention.

The bronze medal offered by the Sons of the American Revolution, and \$10 in gold offered by Dr. George C. F. Williams of Hartford, Ex-President of the Sons of the American Revolution, for the best essay on "Struggle for American Independence" were won by Alma H. Manning of Lebeck Hill school. The subject of her essay was "The Declaration of Independence."

Daniel Mead of school Number Fifteen won second honors. The essays were judged by a committee of five: Secretary C. D. Hine, of the State Board of Education being chairman.

Supervisor L. T. Garrison took the prizes to Babcock Hill school Wednesday, May 19th.

GOSHEN

Local People at Hanover Conference—Address by Rev. Sherwood Soule—Miss Manning Essay Prize-Winner.

The Ladies' Aid Society met with Mrs. F. G. Stark, at Maple Lawn farm, Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. John H. Knott, W. G. Thomas, Rev. T. Curry and Miss Sutcliffe were among those who attended the Missionary conference held in Hanover.

Rev. Sherrod Soule to speak.

visitor the first of the week. Stanley Davis was in town on business last week.

Charles Ward of Chicago was at his farm, Brookway recently.

Mrs. Nellie Allen of Hartford is visiting her uncle, Nelson Bill.

Charles Morgan lost a valuable cow recently.

FRANKLIN

Local Men Get Four Foxes—Birthday May Basket For Miss Rochleau.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beckwith were entertained at dinner at Mr. and Mrs. George Avery's one day the past week.

Forty varieties of wild flowers, a party of young people looking for wild flowers one afternoon this week found about forty different kinds.

Mrs. Louis Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith and Ernest Smith were holiday visitors one day this week.

George H. Kahn has purchased an automobile.

Mrs. Stella Lathrop was entertained at dinner at Mr. and Mrs. Louis Smith's.

Comes to Summer Home. Mrs. Gilbert O. Lamb of New York has come to her summer home here.

Among those who received May baskets are Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Banister and Miss Grace Vallette.

Got Four Foxes. Louis Ortmann and Ernest Vallette captured four foxes one day the past week.

The subject for the morning service at the Congregational church Sunday will be "Veterans of the Cross."

Rev. P. P. Capshaw will preach. Louis Ortmann of Norwich was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Crabbe is spending a few weeks in New Jersey.

Miss Grace Vallette went to Hartford Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Arad Manning.

Mrs. Herbert Wheeler entertained Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Douglas and Miss Mary Kelley of Willimantic, Mr. Collins and Mr. Harma of Taftville.

Birthday May Basket. Several friends of Miss Veronica Rochleau hung her a May basket one evening last week, it being her birthday.

Mrs. Herman A. Gager and Miss Faith N. Gager were Plain Hill visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Marshall Jewett and Mrs. Herbert Corey of Paulding Hill were recent guests of Mrs. Herbert Wheeler.

NORTH FRANKLIN

Visitors to Bozrah Grange on Sisters' Night—J. W. Club Meets.

Charles Brush of Brookline, Mass., has been visiting his brother, George Brush.

Mrs. Herbert White and Mrs. Bert Ward were guests of Mrs. James Armstrong of Jewett City, Tuesday.

Mrs. John C. D. Hine, of the State Board of Education, was called on by Mrs. Theodore Crandall, Wednesday.

Mrs. Harold Riley of Boston is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. W. Browning.

Mrs. Theodore Crandall was a North-west visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Annie Sherman of Norwich is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Eugene Clarke.

GALES FERRY

Annual Meeting of Epworth League—Early Arrivals Among Cottage Owners—Putting Tennis Court in Condition.

The annual meeting of the Epworth League was held in the vestry Tuesday evening. The president, R. Irving Hurlbutt, presided. Prayer was offered by Rev. James M. Potter. Reports were read, accepted and resolved for record. Progress had been made in every department. On motion of Rev. Mr. Potter that the officers be re-elected, it was so voted: President, R. Irving Hurlbutt; vice president, Mrs. Jennie G. Perkins, Mrs. Courtland E. Colver, Mrs. Laura A. Perkins, Mrs. James M. Potter; secretary, Mrs. Fanny Moltrop; treasurer, D. R. Povey; pianist, Jennie G. Perkins.

Rev. Mr. Potter addressed the meeting, outlining progressive work for the coming year. The treasurer of the league, D. R. Povey, has been proposed by District Superintendent G. G. Scrivener, as district treasurer of the Epworth League and has accepted.

Sunday Services. Sunday morning in the M. E. church Rev. Mr. Potter spoke from the words, "Neglect not the gift that is in Thee." 1 Timothy, IV-XIV. At the offertory Miss Grace Chapman sang, Beautiful Land on Earth. Sunday evening Rev. Mr. Potter was the leader in the anniversary service of the Epworth League. There was special singing by quartette, Mrs. D. C. Perkins, Miss Alice Satterlee, Rev. Mr. Potter, D. R. Povey; Sunbeam songs by Misses Marie and Gertrude Allen, with Mary and Madeline Birch; a baritone solo, No Burdens Up Under, sung by D. R. Povey. The offering was for mission work in India and other far countries.

Lease Cottage. Robert Dudley French, Assistant Director of the Roxbury Tutoring School, New Haven, and Mrs. French, who have been in the village recently, and have taken the cottage of Mrs. Delphine Fish for August and September.

The cottage belonging to Frank Hill, of Norwich, on the village street, has also been rented to one of the tutors of the Roxbury School for August and September.

Judge Steen and Mrs. Steen of New Jersey were at their cottage on the bluff Friday, and will open the cottage the last of July.

Mrs. Franklin H. Brown of Norwich and her sisters, Mrs. E. V. Mann of Providence, R. I., and Mrs. Harvey Alford of Norwich, with Mrs. Nelson Crowell and little daughter Dorothy were at Mrs. Brown's summer home Red Fern, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Corey and family of Norwich with Misses Emma and Grace Hilton, spent the week-end at the Corey cottage on the bluff. Herbert Corey entertained J. S. Young Jr., of Norwich.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Earle Phinney of Providence, R. I., have purchased the Webb cottage on the bluff. Mr. and Mrs. Phinney leased the cottage last year during June.

Miss Mary R. Gibbs returned Saturday from a visit in Cambridge, Mass., and an auto trip to New Hampshire.

Miss Sarah S. Latimer spent Sunday with relatives in Palmerton.

Mr. and Mrs. Latham Smith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George A. Smith in New London.

Horse Had Lockjaw. Latham Smith lost a valuable horse one of a pair, last Saturday, from lockjaw, acting under advice of a veterinarian the horse was shot.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Young of Waterford were guests of Miss Mabel Smith last Sunday.

Mrs. Nancy Street of Montville, a recent visitor at the home of Mrs. Harmon C. Perkins, has gone to visit the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Tubbs at Fort Point.

Guest From Oregon. Perry Palmer is visiting his brother George Palmer and his sister, Mrs. P. C. Norman, at Allyn's Point, after an absence of nine years in Oregon.

Giles Bailey has purchased the Grant farm near Centre Groton and with his son Rudolph Bailey, and Mrs. Bailey of New London, will go there to reside.

Mrs. Hannah Lewis has returned to her home at Allyn's Point, having spent the week-end at the home of Rev. Ludwig K. Seith and Mrs. Seith, Ancon, N. Y. Mrs. Seith is the daughter of Mrs. Lewis.

Mrs. John Thompson, daughter of Rev. John Thompson, of Groton, spent the week-end with Miss Jennie C. Perkins.

Early Vegetables. Harmon C. Perkins has one of the fine vegetable gardens of the village, with bush peas all in blossom.

Mr. William Brooks and Misses Marion and Mildred Rogers of Hartford, with Raymond Wolf of Waterbury that came by automobile to Mr. Brooks' mother, Mrs. Delphine Fish, Sunday. Mrs. Fish returned to her home with the party.

Mrs. Rogers remained to visit her cousin, Mrs. Caro Maniere.

The tennis court of the Gales Ferry Club is being put in order for the season.

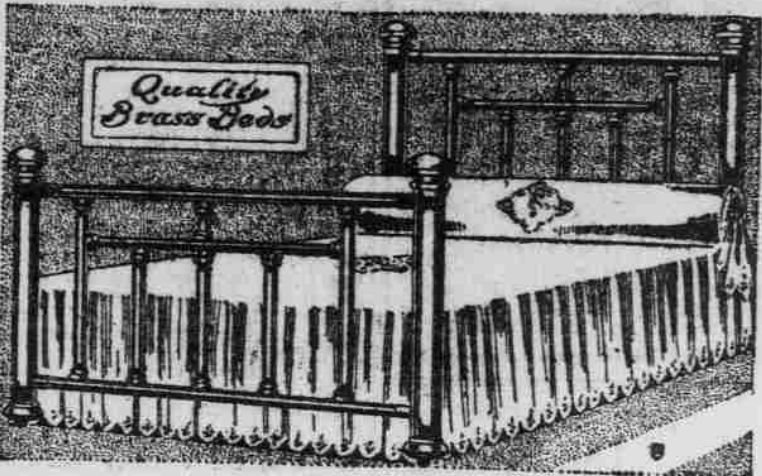
Miss Caroline B. Freeman who spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. John C. Perkins, is now the guest of friends in Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

NIANTIC

Grove—Cottagers Arriving—The Week's Visitors.

Coroner Franklin H. Brown of Norwich spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Arthur H. Brown in the village.

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FINN'S BLOCK, JEWETT CITY

Mrs. Gross, of Hartford, spent the week-end at their cottages in Orchard street.

Preparing for Season. Frank J. Feeley of Brooklyn, N. Y., will be in charge of the Restaurant the coming season. Mr. Feeley is getting the interior in order.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Washburn of Norwich spent Sunday at their cottage in Center street.

Mrs. A. E. C. Merriam, M. D., of Hartford spent the week-end at her cottage in High street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sherman of New London passed Sunday at their cottage in High street. They made the trip to the Grove in their launch, Harriet.

Contractor F. A. Ashton is building a bungalow for Mrs. E. J. Markel of Hartford.

Mrs. Eli Dorman has returned to Beverly, Mass., after a visit to relatives in the Pines.

Mr. J. J. Markel of Hartford, a summer resident of the grove, spent Sunday at her cottage.

Harry Washburn of Norwich passed Sunday at his cottage in the Pines.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hunting have purchased the Fuller cottage in Center street.

Mrs. Nettie Peplon and party of four have come down in Miss Peplon's car to spend the week-end at her bungalow at the Point.

Mrs. E. E. Chaussen of Hartford, a summer visitor to the Pines, spent Sunday at her cottage in High street.

Mrs. Fanny Tracy of Lyme spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. G. F. Griswold.

Mrs. Emil Schermdie of Bridgeport spent Sunday at her cottage in Orchard street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavinia Kneeland and Mr. David Walsh were in Yantic and Norwich recently.

Mrs. Amos Lilley of Lebanon was a recent visitor at her sister's, Mrs. R. E. Cummings.

Albert Wheaton has purchased a new horse.

nurse in Providence is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Goff.

Mrs. Florence Powers was a business caller in New London Tuesday.

A party of young people from this place hung Miss Susan Rogers' Lakes Pond a May basket Tuesday evening. After the general chase they went into the house. Refreshments were served. Solos and duets were rendered.

ROAD SOCIETY

Stonington
Allan W. Harvey's Family Horse Dies, Aged 27.

Rev. S. Cathcart of Westerly preached here Sunday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Stanton Gates spent a few days with friends the past week.

Miss Jennie B. Noyes of Mystic is at Mrs. Eliza P. Noyes.

Mrs. S. N. Williams and Miss Grace D. Wheeler attended the Mayflower picnic at Mrs. N. D. Robinson's, at Norwich, Thursday.

Mrs. Frances Williams has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Simmons of Providence.

Mrs. Susan Smith and family were at Lower Pawcatuck with relatives, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Williams are in California the guests of relatives.

Mrs. Charles S. Noyes spent Sunday with her son, I. Hart Noyes, M. D. of Providence.